

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
LABOUR
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:534
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UNEMPLOYED MEN AND WOMEN IN BIHAR
RAJO SINGH

Will the Minister of LABOUR be pleased to state:

- (a) the number of men and women prihar during the last three years;
- (b) the number out of them belonging to Scheduled Castes, Scheduled Tribes and Other Backward Classes; and
- (c) the number of unemployed men and women as on date in each category?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF LABOUR (SHRI MUNI LALL)

(a) to (c) Category-wise number of job-seekers, all of whom are not necessarily unemployed, registered with the Employment Exchanges in Bihar as on December, 1999 (latest available) and the number of job-seekers provided employment during 1997, 1998 & 1999 is given below:

Year Placement (in thousand)

Total Men Women SC ST OBC

1997	6.9	6.8	0.1	0.5	2.8	N.A
1998	13.0	12.8	0.3	0.5	1.5	0.4
1999	11.8	11.7	0.1	0.9	3.1	1.2

No.of job-seekers on Live Register (in lakhs) as on 31.12.1999

1999	31.8	29.1	2.7	3.8	2.3	6.7
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N.A. = Information not available.